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Docket No. 01-AFC-22
California Energy Commission
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RE: SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY ENERGY CENTER

PETITION TO AMEND EMISSION REDUCTION CREDIT OFFSET

PACKAGE 01-AFC-22

Dear Mr. Shaw:

Pursuant to Section 1769 (Post Certification Amendments and Changes) of the California Energy Commission ("CEC") Siting Regulations, San Joaquin Valley Energy Center, LLC ("SJVEC") hereby submits the attached Petition to amend SJVEC's emission reduction credits ("ERC") offset package. This filing is also intended to address Conditions of Certification AQ-C7 (regarding "double counting" and AQ-C13 (related to mitigation of SO₂ emissions). Related filings are being made, under separate cover, to:

- The CEC related to the Pastoria Energy Facility (99-AFC-7);
- The San Joaquin Valley APCD related to the Pastoria Energy Facility; and
- The San Joaquin Valley APCD related to the San Joaquin Valley Energy Center

In conjunction with this filing, we are seeking revisions to Conditions AQ-C10, AQ-C11 and AQ-C12 to reflect the revised offset package proposed herein. Further, we are seeking minor revisions to AQ-C13 and AQ-105 to reflect the allocation of emissions between calendar quarters based on the number of days in each quarter; total annual emissions remain unchanged from the levels previously approved by the Commission. (A slight error in condition AQ-105, which derives from a similar error in the FDOC, is proposed to be corrected in this amendment as well. The error relates to the quantity of VOC offsets required.)

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (925) 479-6729 should you have any questions regarding this submittal.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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attachments

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Mr. Gary Rubenstein, Sierra Research (w/attachment)

PETITION TO AMEND SJVEC'S ERC OFFSET PACKAGE

Pursuant to the California Code of Regulations Section 1769 (a)(1)(A), a description of the proposed amendment to SJVEC's ERC offset package is required.

With this petition, SJVEC is requesting a post-certification amendment to original ERC offset package approved by the Commission for this project. When the Commission recently approved the SJVEC, the Commission imposed a condition (AQ-C7) that required that Calpine file an application to amend either the ERC package for the Pastoria Energy Facility (PEF), or the SJVEC ERC package. Calpine has determined that amendments to both packages are required to ensure that all CEC requirements are addressed. Please see Attachment 1, Tables 1 and 2, which show the proposed ERCs for SJVEC and how those ERCs satisfy SJVAPCD offset and CEC mitigation requirements, respectively. In addition, we have enclosed in Attachment 1 Table 3, which reconciles Calpine's ERC holdings in the San Joaquin Valley APCD with the ERCs now proposed for PEF and SJVEC.

Further, SJVEC is seeking to revise Conditions AQ-C10, AQ-C11 and AQ-C12 to reflect the ERC certificates now proposed to be surrendered to satisfy SJVAPCD and CEC requirements. Attachment 1, Tables 1 and 2 show the certificates now proposed for use by SJVEC. Finally, SJVEC proposes to amend Conditions AQ-C13 and AQ-105 to reflect the distribution of project emissions by the number of days in each calendar quarter, rather than based on an equal distribution for each day. This minor change does not result in any change in maximum hourly, daily, or annual emissions from the project for any pollutant. (A slight error in condition AQ-105, which derives from a similar error in the FDOC, is proposed to be corrected in this amendment as well. The error relates to the quantity of VOC offsets required.)

Proposed revisions to these conditions are shown in Attachment 2.

SJVEC recognizes that the Commission has, for this project, required mitigation for all pollutants, without regard to APCD threshold levels. Attachment 1, Table 2 demonstrates that the ERCs required to satisfy APCD requirements will satisfy Commission mitigation requirements as well.

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(B) and (C), a discussion of the necessity for the proposed modification and whether the modification is based on information that was known by the petitioner during the certification proceeding is required.

The proposed changes to SJVEC's offset package are the result of business decisions made after the completion of SJVEC's certification process in light of the requirements imposed by the Commission. Furthermore, Conditions AQ-C7 and AQ-C13 require the submission of this modification for the SJVEC offset package. Revisions to AQ-C10, AQ-C11 and AQ-

C12 are necessary to conform those conditions to the revised offset package required by AQ-C7 and AQ-C13. Finally, revisions to conditions AQ-C13 and AQ-105 are requested to allow for the proper distribution of project emissions between calendar quarters. (A slight error in condition AQ-105, which derives from a similar error in the FDOC, is proposed to be corrected in this amendment as well. The error relates to the quantity of VOC offsets required.)

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(D), a discussion is required on whether the proposed modification is based upon new information that changes or undermines the assumptions, rationale, findings, or other bases of the Final Decision and explanation why it should be permitted.

The proposed amendment is the result of Conditions AQ-C7 and AQ-C13, business decisions made after the completion of SJVEC's certification process, and minor changes found to be necessary during a final review of the project's offset requirements.

Because SJVEC has confirmed with District Staff that all ERC certificates contained within both the current and revised SJVEC ERC packages are valid, SJVEC believes the proposed amendment does not change or undermine the assumptions, rationale, findings, or other bases of the Final Decision.

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(E), an analysis of the impacts the modifications may have on the environment and proposed measures to mitigate any significant adverse impacts is required.

As shown in Attachment 1, Table 2, the proposed offsets ensure that all net emission increases associated with the SJVEC project are fully mitigated at a ratio of at least 1.0:1, consistent with the demonstration made in the Commission's original decision. Therefore, the proposed changes do not result in any significant adverse environmental impact.

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(F), a discussion of the impact of the modification on the facility's ability to comply with applicable laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards is required.

SJVEC asserts the proposed changes contained in this Post-Certification Amendment Petition do not pose any impacts on the facility's ability to comply with all applicable laws, ordinances, regulations, and standards (LORS) subject to the provisions of Public Resources Code Section 25525. Attachment 1, Table 1 demonstrates that the revised SJVEC ERC package satisfies the requirements of the SJVAPCD.

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(G), a discussion of how the modification affects the public is required.

SJVEC further asserts the proposed modifications contained in this Post-Certification Amendment Petition will not cause any additional impacts or require additional mitigation measures and will not adversely affect the public.

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(H), a list of property owners potentially affected by the modification is provided below:

It is SJVEC's belief the proposed amendment is administrative in nature, therefore, no property owners will be affected by the modification proposed.

Pursuant to Section 1769 (1)(I), a discussion of the potential effect on nearby property owners, the public, and the parties in the applicable proceedings is required.

It is SJVEC's belief the proposed amendment will not result in any changes that would affect nearby property owners, the public, or any parties that participated in the application proceedings.

Consistent with the requirements of Section 1769 (a) (1)(A), SJVEC is requesting approval of the revised offset package. PEF is also requesting approval of conforming changes to Conditions AQ-C10, AQ-C11 and AQ-C12, and minor revisions to Conditions AQ-C13 and AQ-105.

Attachment 1

Emission Reduction Credit Summary Tables

Table 1

San Joaquin Valley Energy C		I able I	tion Cradi	e SIVAD	CD Requirer	nants
San Joaquin Valley Ellergy C	Q1 (lbs)	Q2 (lbs)	Q3 (lbs)	Q4 (lbs)	Annual, lbs	ile ile
NOx	90	91	92	92	365	Exclusion
Project Emissions	131,913	133,379	134,845	134,845		20,000
Project Emissions Subject to Offset	126,982	128,393	129,804	129,804		
Required Offsets (1.5 ratio)	190,473	192,589	194,706			
S-1554-2	185,327	175,853	171,491	182,139		
S-1547-2	3,986	9,681	19,140	9,076		
S-1550-2	1,160		4,075			
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	190,473		194,706			
Net Surplus NOx ERCs	0	0	0	0	U	
VOC						
Project Emissions	38,800	39,231	39,663	39,663	157,357	20,000
Project Emissions Subject to Offset	33,869		34,621	34,621		20,000
Required Offsets (1.5 ratio)	50,803			51,932		
C-348-1	30,485			30,501		
N-303-1	5,716		6,542	6,512		
S-1549-1	6,162					
S-1665-1	8,440			8,621		
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	50,803			51,932		
Net Surplus VOC ERC's	0,000			01,002		
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SOx						
Project Emissions	10,762	10,882	11,001	11,001	43,646	54,750
Project Emissions Subject to Offset	0	0	0	0		
Required Offsets (1.5 ratio)	0	0	0	0	0	
N-270-5	10,765	10,885	11,004	11,004	43,658	
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	10,765					
Surplus SOx ERC's	10,765			11,004		
SOx ERCs Used to Offset PM10	10,765					
Net Surplus SOx ERCs	0				0	
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PM10	70 507	70 000	74.400	74.400	204 426	20 200
Project Emissions	72,527	73,333				
Project Emissions Subject to Offset	65,327	66,053				
Required Offsets (1.5 ratio)	97,990					
C-347-4	50,845			42,056 1,067		
C-448-4 C-449-4	1,067 82	1,067 28	1,067 373			
N-208-4	715		6,581	715		
N-297-4	7 13	0,177	101	66,394		
S-1577-4	489					
S-1578-4	421					
S-1666-4	0	0	-			
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S-1692-4	0			14,019		
S-1693-4	1,091					
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	54,710					
Net PM10 Offsets Available (Needed)	-43,280					
Redistribute 4th Quarter ERCs	38,738					t
Net PM10 Offsets Available (Needed)	-4,542					
Surplus SOx ERCs used	4,542					2.37
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Table 2

San Joaquin Valley Energy					Annual, lbs	11.2
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NOx	90	91	92	92	365	Exclusion
Project Emissions	132,139	133,607	135,076	135,076	535,898	0
Required Offsets (1.0 ratio)	132,139	133,607	135,076	135,076		ŭ
S-1554-2	185,327	175,853	171,491	182,139		
				9,076		
S-1547-2	3,986	9,681	19,140			
S-1550-2	1,160	7,055	4,075	3,491		
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	190,473					
Net Surplus NOx ERCs	58,334	58,982	59,630	59,630	236,576	
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Project Emissions	38,882	39,314	39,746	39,746		0
Required Offsets (1.0 ratio)	38,882	39,314	39,746	39,746		
C-348-1	30,485	30,519		30,501		
N-303-1	5,716		6,542	6,512	24,843	
S-1549-1	6,162	6,230	6,299	6,298	24,989	
S-1665-1	8,440	8,546	8,621	8,621		
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	50,803		51,932	51,932		
Net Surplus VOC ERCs	11,921	12,054	12,186	12,186	48,347	
SOx						
Project Emissions	10,765	10,885	11,004	11,004	43,658	0
Required Offsets (1.0 ratio)	10,765		11,004	11,004		
N-270-5	10,765	10,885	11,004	11,004		
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	10,765	10,885	11,004	11,004	43,658	
Surplus SOx ERC's	0	0	0	0	0	
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Project Emissions	72,536	73,342	74,148	74,148	294,173	o
Required Offsets (1.0 ratio)	72,536	73,342	74,148			_
C-347-4	50,845	67,976	8,408			
C-448-4	1,067	1,067	1,067	1,067	4,268	
C-449-4	82	28	373	674	1,157	
N-208-4	715	8,177	6,581	715		
N-297-4						
	0	0	101	66,394		
S-1577-4	489		0	23,085		
S-1578-4	421	0	176	46,954	47,551	
S-1666-4	0	0	0	11,831	11,831	
S-1683-4	0	0	0	1,462	1,462	
S-1684-4	0	0	0			
S-1687-4	0	0	610	0		
S-1689-4	0	0	0	2,604	2,604	
S-1690-4	0	0	0	1,830		
S-1691-4	0	0	0	856		
S-1692-4	0	0	987	14,019	15,006	
S-1693-4	1,091	1,103	1,115	1,115	4,424	
Total ERCs Allocated to SJVEC	54,710	78,351	19,418	226,505	378,984	
Net PM10 Offsets Available (Needed)	-17,826	5,009	-54,730	152,357	84,811	Ratio w/o
Redistribute 4th Quarter ERCs	17,826	0	54,730	-72,556	0	distance
Net PM10 Offsets Available (Needed)	0	5,009	0	79,802	84,811	
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Attachment 2

Proposed Changes to Conditions of Certification

AQ-C10 ERC Certificate Numbers S-1547-2 S-1340-2, S-1280-2, N-272- S-1550-2, and S-1554-2 shall be used to supply the required NOx offsets, unless a revised offsetting proposal is received and approved by the District, upon which this Authority to Construct shall be reissued, administratively specifying the new offsetting proposal. Original public noticing requirements, if any, shall be duplicated prior to reissuance of this Authority to Construct. The certificates identified in this condition shall be surrendered only after demonstrating compliance with Conditions AQ-C7 and AQ-C9.

Verification: At least 60 days prior to commencing turbine first fire, the project owner shall surrender the identified ERC certificates and in the amounts shown in AQ-105 to the District and provide documentation of that surrender to the CPM. Changes to the offsetting proposal must be provided to the District and CPM for review, public noticing, and approval.

AQ-C11 ERC Certificate Number C-348-1, N-303-1, S-1549-1 and S-1665-1 shall be used to supply the required VOC offsets, unless a revised offsetting proposal is received and approved by the District, upon which this Authority to Construct shall be reissued, administratively specifying the new offsetting proposal. Original public noticing requirements, if any, shall be duplicated prior to reissuance of this Authority to Construct. The certificates identified in this condition shall be surrendered only after demonstrating compliance with Conditions AQ-C7 and AQ-C9.

Verification: At least 60 days prior to commencing turbine first fire, the project owner shall surrender the identified ERC certificates and in the amounts shown in **AQ-105** to the District and provide documentation of that surrender to the CPM. Changes to the offsetting proposal must be provided to the District and CPM for review, public noticing, and approval.

AQ-C12 ERC Certificate Numbers C-347-4, S-1577-4, S-1578-4, S-1666-4, S-1682-4, S-1683-4, S-1684-4, S-1685-4, S-1686-4, S-1687-4, S-1688-4, S-1689-4, S-1690-4, S-1691-4, S-1692-4, S-1693-4, N-297-4, C-447-4, C-448-4, C-449-4, and N-270-5 shall be used to supply the required **PM10** offsets, unless a revised offsetting proposal is received and approved by the District, upon which this Authority to Construct shall be reissued, administratively specifying the new offsetting proposal. Original public noticing requirements, if any, shall be duplicated prior to reissuance of this Authority to Construct.

Verification: At least 60 days prior to commencing turbine first fire, the project owner shall surrender the identified ERC certificates and in the amounts shown in **AQ-105** to the District and provide documentation of that surrender to the CPM. Changes to the offsetting proposal must be provided to the District and CPM for review, public noticing, and approval.

AQ-C13 The project owner shall surrender SO₂ ERC certificates from the SJVAPCD ERC bank in the amount of no less than 10,908 pounds per quarter the following: Q1: 10,762 pounds, Q2: 10,882 pounds, Q3: 11,001 pounds, Q4: 11,001 pounds.

Verification: At least 60 days prior to commencing turbine first fire, the project owner shall surrender the ERC certificates in the required amounts to the District and provide documentation of that surrender to the CPM.

AQ-105 Before initial operation of C-3959-1-0, C-3959-2-0, C-3959-3-0, C-3959-4-0, and C-3959-5-0, emission offsets shall be provided to offset the following increases in: PM10-Q1: 66,234 65,327 lb, Q2: 66,234 66,053 lb, Q3: 66,234 66,778 lb, and Q4: 66,234 66,778 lb; NOx (as NO2) - Q1: 128,746 126,982 lb, Q2: 128,746 128,393 lb, Q3: 128,746 129,804 lb, and Q4: 128,746 129,804 lb; VOC - Q1: 34,378 33,869 lb, Q2: 34,378 34,245 lb, Q3: 34,378 34,621 lb, and Q4: 34,378 34,621 lb. Offsets shall be provided at the appropriate distance ratio specified in Rule 2201. [District Rule 2201]

Verification: The project owner shall submit copies of the surrendered ERC certificates to the CPM at least 30 days prior to first fire of the any combustion turbine at the SJVEC site.